

**MAINE - DISTRICT 1****Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997**

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	SMALLEST	LARGEST	MEDIAN OF COUNTIES
<b>Farms</b>			
Number	118	499	333
Acreage	17,853	88,134	37,875
Average size (acres)	110	194	127
Median size (acres)	55	100	83
<b>Estimated market value average per farm</b>			
Land/buildings (dollars)	205,766	322,033	240,469
Machinery/equip (dollars)	30,994	52,231	34,643
<b>Cropland (acres)</b>			
Total	7,074	44,591	17,447
Harvested	5,530	34,425	13,013
Irrigated	66	1,455	234
<b>Agricultural products sold - market value</b>			
(\$1,000)	3,067	45,181	10,916
(dollars avg. per farm)	25,993	99,299	30,604
<b>Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm</b>			
(dollars average)	-1,433	24,488	1,699
<b>Livestock inventory (number)</b>			
Cattle and calves	1,499	15,699	3,470
Beef cows	364	1,432	597
Milk cows	31	7,850	1,040
Hogs and pigs	32	1,243	250
Sheep and lambs	333	1,425	761
Layers 13 wks or/older	1,431	1,431	1,431
Broilers and chicken (sold)	171	1,660	916
<b>Harvested commodities (acres)</b>			
Corn, grain or seed	N	N	0
Corn, silage or green chop	136	4,238	417
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	0
Wheat	N	N	0
Barley	N	N	0
Oats	13	140	26
Rice	N	N	0

Sunflower seed	N	N	0
Cotton	N	N	0
Tobacco	N	N	0
Soybeans	N	N	0
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	0
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	7	9	8
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	0
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	0
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	0
Hay-alfalfa	5,150	30,484	10,792

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<b>Vegetables</b>			
Number of farms	15	71	44
Acreage	76	922	329
<b>Orchards</b>			
Number of farms	10	36	19
Acreage	42	728	219

### Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture